

Mock Parliament Debates New Deal For Dominion

Political Situation Heightens Interest in Tomorrow's Mock Parliament as Representatives of All Parties Speak on Proposed Reform in Canada — Hon. A. K. Huggessen Acts as Speaker — Lovell C. Carroll Introduces Motion — Prominent Politicians Participate

WITH participants of all political parties and opinions, the Debating Union's first Old Boys' Mock Parliament will be held tomorrow evening at 8:15 in the Union Ballroom, the question before the house being "That this house favours the proposed New Deal for Canada." The bill will be introduced by Prime Minister Lovell C. Carroll. The Hon. A. K. Huggessen will be in the chair.

Reflections of the political situation are anticipated, in view of the fact that the Prime Minister of the House will concern himself with the proposals of Premier Bennett, which have provoked much interest and which promise to be of great importance in the present election campaign.

All Parties Represented

Speakers will include many men prominent in the Conservative, Liberal, C. C. F., and even the new "Square Deal" parties, the latter being represented by its leader, R. L. Calder, K.C. The executive of the Debating Union anticipates that some additional leaders of the Conservative party in the province will be induced to take front bench positions by tomorrow night.

In addition to these, the Government will be supported by A. H. J. Zaitlin, Alastair Watt, and R. Wilson Beckett, a former President of the McGill Debating Union.

Forth Leads Opposition

The opposition party will be led by Lionel Forsyth, K.C., prominent Liberal organizer in Montreal, and will number among its principal supporters such men as R. L. Calder, K.C., Professors F. R. Scott and Eugene Forsey, H. Carl Goldenberg, and J. J. Specter, the last two also being former presidents of the Debating Union.

Any other graduates or undergraduates who wish to align themselves with either party will be welcomed. The following students have made known their intention to participate: Ken Baker, President of the Debating Union; Mel Dole, Phil Vineberg, Eli Kelloway, and Don Black.

Youth Affected By Recent Happenings

Columbus, Ohio. — Experiences of the past few years have left definite impressions on the attitudes and interests of youth, according to Dr. Sidney L. Pressey, department of psychology of Ohio State university.

No mere expression of opinion, Dr. Pressey's statement is based on tests made 12 years ago and now. He reported the results in a paper at the recent meetings of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, in Pittsburgh.

School children and college students were the subjects in the unusual comparative test of attitudes and interests, in which an effort was made to determine effects of great social and economic changes in recent years. Among boys, Dr. Pressey found evidence of "vocational disillusionment." Fewer individuals this year have made vocational decision. Among girls, vocational interests were found to be shifting from such work as teaching and music toward business.

Young people of the present have less interest in military heroes and more in social leadership, in comparison with the youth of 12 years ago.

Among college students there was evidence of a distinct liberalization of opinion regarding various social and economic problems — a finding confirmed by another paper at the Pittsburgh meeting.

Present-day girls have more interest in active games and less in cooking and sewing, Dr. Pressey found.

"It is planned to repeat the tests in 1944, to see what measurable changes in attitudes may result from the many important events which undoubtedly will occur in the decade before us," the Ohio State faculty member says.

Newfoundland Club

A skating party and dance will feature the next Newfoundland Club activity on Friday, 25th. The skating will begin at 8:30 in the Coliseum Rink. The members will revert to the Pit at about 10:00 o'clock for dancing.

Interest In Italian Study Encouraged

Royal Consul and Colonel Bovey Speak Before Club

FREE TRIP OFFERED

Steamship Line Presents Prize For Best Thesis

"All students who are interested in Italian culture and history, whether they agree with the Fascist revolution or not, should be encouraged to take an interest in this society," said Cav. Giuseppe Brigid, Royal, Italian Consul and Patron of the Club, at a dinner meeting of the Italian Club in the Union Grill Room last night. "Italy was the center of culture and science about the twelfth and thirteenth century, and has been very important since then, repaying study for its own sake."

During the proceedings, Colonel Wilfrid Bovey, Director of the Department of Extra-Mural Relations at McGill, and Honorary President of the club, was presented with a framed picture of Rome painted by Miss Laura Villella. Speaking in Italian, he then paid tribute to the club, saying that he has always been a lover of Italy, and was pleased to find such interest taken in an Italian Club at McGill.

Mancuso Speaks

Salvatore Mancuso, M.D., President of the Club, thanked Colonel Bovey, and then paid tribute to McGill for what it has done for its students. "When we remember that only a small part of the total cost of our education is paid by our fees, and the rest has to be borne by the college, we realize what we owe to McGill."

A round trip to Italy was offered by the Italian Line through its manager, E. V. Lecour, to the member of the club who writes the best thesis on Italy. In addition the executive of the club wishes to point out that the club is not restricted to Italians only, but is open to any student interested in Italy.

Others Present

Among other guests present were: Dott. A. Fossati—Director of the Italian Course at McGill; Hon. E. Fabre Surveur; Comm. A. D. Sebastiani, President of the Italian Chamber of Commerce, Governor of the Montreal General Hospital; Cav. S. W. Narizzano, Grand Master of the Order Sons of Italy; Lieut. A. S. Biffi; Dott. V. V. Restaldi, Italian Vice Consul; E. V. Lecour, manager of the Italian Line; Dott. A. Castelli, director of the Italian newspaper "l'Italia"; Prof. A. Di Bernardo, director of the Italian school; Rev. R. De Pierro; Comm. Guidi Nincheri-Peintere; Captain Mammi; Mr. T. Pizzagalli; Dr. A. Sabetta, assistant Professor in Dermatology of the University of Montreal; Mr. Trasciatti.

Dr. Ferdinando Mancuso; M. E. Lattoni, B.C.L.; Dr. A. Cantero; Dr. L. S. Gullianelli; Frank Consiglio. Dr. N. Segatore; Dr. A. D'Anna, Dr. C. Mellillo of St. Luc Hospital, Dr. L. Lattoni, B.C.L.

Celebrated Pianist Says Quality Only Measure Of Music

Madison, Wis.—In the controversies that rage from year to year over "modernistic" music, Josef Hofmann, the celebrated pianist, takes no part. To him, music has no age—it is good or bad, not old or new.

"Let us play the best, regardless of whether it was written yesterday or 300 years ago," he says. "We must not sneer at the past because it is familiar, nor close our ears to the present or perhaps the future because it is strange."

"But let us remember at the same time that if a thing is interesting only because it is new, it will remain interesting only as long as it is new. Bach was old at the time of Myerbeer and Mendelssohn, but he is appreciated far more today than he was then. It is a question of quality—the big things survive."

"From an educational standpoint, and particularly I have in mind the training of the young, I think it is better that we should study first what has been done in the past, and then make up our own minds about what is being done today. Art is a matter of evolution—it doesn't jump. So let us learn the great things of the centuries behind us, and then 'face the music' of the present."

buildings very much can be done to make them quieter and hence far more pleasant places to live in.

(Prepared by George S. Field, of the Division of Physics and Engineering, National Research Laboratories.) January 16, 1935.

History Of German Revolution Outlined

Paper Also Delivered on Birth of Irish Free State

TROUBLES STRESSED

W. R. Hullin and N. Burgomaster Speak Before Historical Club

"The German Republic, 1918-1933" and "The Irish Revolution 1918-1923" were the subjects of the two papers delivered last night at the fifth meeting of the McGill Historical Club by N. Burgomaster and W. R. Hullin. The speakers were introduced by J. McLeish, the president of the club. After the papers were delivered the meeting was thrown open to discussion on both subjects.

The German revolution which overthrew the German Imperial Government and erected in its place the present German Republic, the facts leading up to the Revolution and its effects upon the Government, populace, and world at large, were the main points discussed. There were, even before the War, many in Germany who were dissatisfied with the semi-autocratic political system of the Empire. But the War hastened on the end of the old regime. To the German people the war brought on hardships, sorrow, and privations which in turned led to disillusionment and a loss of faith in the Kaiser and the Government.

Propaganda Influenced Laborers

From Russia's revolutionary propaganda entered Germany and with the scathing denunciations by President Wilson of the Kaiser's autocracy, the labouring classes were highly influenced. The Government now went desperately to work to avert revolution and Prince Max of Baden was appointed Chancellor. Prince Max formed a coalition cabinet and ended the personal regime of the Kaiser, giving to the German people their first parliamentary government. On October 23, it was demanded in the Reichstag that the Kaiser abdicate, on October 29 the Kaiser fled from Berlin; on Nov. 4 the Navy revolted and finally on November 9 the Kaiser abdicated creating the new German Republic.

A determined struggle was now begun for the control of the new regime. The struggle for control was confined to the Communists, Independent Socialists, and Majority Socialists. The results of the first election showed that the Majority Socialists stood first and that Germany would remain a moderate republic, following the platform of the Majority Socialists.

Irish History Traced

The history of Ireland from 1918 to 1923 was traced by the second speaker, N. Burgomaster, who particularly stressed the development of the relationship between England and Ireland during that period.

The work of the Sinn Feiners with their seditious newspapers and fanatical speakers, coupled with the smouldering resentment of the Irish people against the English, sufficed to cause a series of uprisings and disturbances. The Irish Volunteers were led during this period by Professor MacNeil and James Connolly. The rebels were momentarily successful in Dublin, but were finally repulsed.

Redmond Leader

A section of the Irish people, under the leadership of John Redmond, claimed dissociation with the insurrection. To quote the speaker, "Undoubtedly, at this point the British government, with wise foresight, could have done much to end the main troubles in Ireland, or at least to have settled them for many years to come." However, the government wavered.

While the existing machinery of Irish government had broken down, little action was taken by the English to take advantage of their chances. The story of the development of the Sinn Fein's final success under the leadership of Eamonn de Valera, finally elected president of the Irish Republic, was also traced by the speaker who pointed out the bloody outrages, the troubles, disturbances, and riots, which marked the birth of the new Ireland.

Informal Dance Planned

The Graduate Students Association is holding an informal dance on February 15th, in the Union Ballroom. Tickets, \$1.00 per couple. Further information about this dance will appear in a later issue of the Daily.

Stamp Club Meets

A meeting of the Stamp Club on Thursday, at 8:00 p.m. in the Reading Room of the Union will feature A. F. Grophy, President of the St. Lawrence Stamp Club. Chief interest will be centred upon the exhibition of his collection and a talk on "Errors in Canadian Printing." All collectors are invited to attend this meeting and to bring duplicates for trading purposes.

Roosevelt's Policy Declared Beneficial

Knights of Columbus Speakers Defeat Junior Debaters

MEASURES DESCRIBED

Kearns and Quinn Given Decision Over McGill Representatives

Upholding the affirmative side of the resolution that Roosevelt's policy is in the best interests of the United States, speakers representing the Knights of Columbus defeated members of the McGill Junior Debating League in Strathcona Hall last evening. The debate, which was sponsored by the Montreal Debating League, was the last in which McGill will participate this season. Allan Anderson was in the chair and the judges were J. Charlebois, S. Hayes and G. Broderick.

Opening the debate for the affirmative, Emmet Kearns outlined the measures taken by Roosevelt against the two-fold evil of the depression. To raise the low price of farm produce he created the Farm Act, restricting farm produce, and to alleviate unemployment he created the N.R.A., regulating wages and hours and checking the unrestrained profit motive.

Showmanship Charged

Supporting McGill, Saul Zeldi declared that Roosevelt's policy is based on showmanship and obscurity. He has done many things very quickly and shifted from one path to another, replacing his early policy of deflation with that of inflation, thereby spoiling chances for stabilization of world currency.

Patrick Quinn, continuing in support of the Affirmative, stated that the policy of Roosevelt as expressed in the N.R.A., steers a course midway between the allowing of unrestricted competition and the total abolition of freedom of enterprise. The aim of all relief, he continued, is to furnish a livelihood and not merely to maintain life. To this end a program of public works has been commenced, and these are of undoubted value in themselves.

Ivor Williams concluded the argument for the negative by stating that if the N.R.A. does not make adequate provision for the future it is unjust to posterity. Roosevelt has inflated currency. He has made loans to Russia and China which will not be repaid, and he has made future generations liable for debts incurred in the present.

Cheap Money Seen As Financial Cure

Professor Day Deplores Policy of Inflation

"Stick to the orthodox cure; do nothing to check the revival of business confidence and do everything legitimate to hasten the coming of cheap money," said Professor J. P. Day, professor of economics at McGill, in an address delivered before the 17th Convention of the Canadian Construction Association yesterday.

Cheap money if it destroys public confidence defeats its own ends, Dr. Day stated. (That is the main reason for the failure of the U. S. plan, because as yet its policies are regarded with suspicion by the business interests. The speaker declared, however, that a small dose of inflation, if it were known to be small and final might not frighten away capital, and would hasten cheap money.)

Turning to the situation in Canada, Professor Day stated that a quick settlement of the railway problem would do much to restore the confidence of business in Canada.

McGill Loses Suit

Courts Deny Right to Collect Loyal Gift

According to a decision by Chief Justice R. A. E. Greenfield, a pledge signed by the now defunct P. Lyall & Son Construction Company in 1920, subscribing to the McGill University Centennial Endowment Fund could not be enforced by the university against the liquidators of the company. On the pledge of \$10,000 the company had contributed \$2,000, and the university claimed the unpaid \$8,000 against the assets of the company now under liquidation.

It was the contention of the university that the pledge card was a valid contract for which the university had given consideration in that the company hoped, by means of the subscription, to be awarded contracts for construction at the university. However the Chief Justice found the obligation on both sides.

Dancing Dates To Distract Dentists From Daily Drills

Unique Surroundings Planned For Coming Hop

PREPARATIONS are now being completed for the coming Dental Ball which is scheduled for February 1st, and is this year being held in the Plaza of the Mount Royal Hotel, amidst the glamorous surroundings of old Spain in all its entrancing beauty.

Howard Simpson and his Privates, a popular campus orchestra, will be in attendance and will lend their touch to the colourful surroundings. The presence of many campus celebrities is anticipated by the committee in charge of the dance, from the signs of the ticket sale.

A unique layout will be effected, still retaining cabaret style however. This, it is believed, will add to the elaborate settings of the Plaza. Patrons for the dance include many professors and their wives, besides many well known dentists, who are associated with the faculty. Complete arrangements for the Dental Ball have been carried out, and only the sale of the remainder of the tickets remains to ensure success.

Speaker Advocates Scientific Methods

McGill Professor Addresses St. James Literary Society

That science and scientific methods are essential to the maintenance and advancement of our civilization, was stressed last night by Prof. A. N. Shaw, of McGill, in his address on "The Influence of Physics in Civilization," before the St. James Literary Society.

Professor Shaw began his talk with a formal definition of the aims and principles of Physical Science. He then went on to show the application of these principles in everyday life, mentioning among other things the ever-present examples of modern methods of transportation, communication, lighting, acoustics, and refrigeration.

The chief note of the address, however, was the practical use of science and scientific method as it should be applied, not only to everyday life, but also to government and legislation. The speaker suggested that a world confederacy, led by a group of men highly trained in the principles of scientific practice and advancement would be the highest point to which our civilization might hope to advance.

New Books For Industrial Library

Business men, merchants and those engaged in industry, as well as members of the general public will find at the Library of the School of Higher Commercial Studies a comprehensive list of books on all subjects of an economic nature. The 30,000 odd volumes which have been placed at the disposal of the public cover all matters of finance, commerce, industry, statistics, economic geography, history, etc.

The library is every day taking in the latest works on these subjects and these will be found on the shelf headed: "Recent Additions." Among others, the following may be mentioned: Le Fascisme—doctrines et institutions, Benito Mussolini, The Maritimes and Canada before Confederation, W. M. Whitelaw. Two volumes on Mustafa Kemal, one by General Shirrell; Mustapha Kemal—l'homme, l'oeuvre, le pays; the other by Antonio Anlante; Mustapha Kemal—le loup, d'Angora. Science for a New World—The Scientific Outlook on World Problems explained by leading exponents of modern scientific thought, planned and arranged by Sir J. A. Thomson. La collectivisation des campagnes soviétiques, Guido Miglioni. A Primer for Tomorrow, an introduction to modern civilization, Christian C. A. S. The Supply and Control of Money in the United States, L. Currie, Syrie et Liban—reussite française? Louis Jala-

bert. We may especially mention a work of topical economic interest to Montreal, namely: The Sales Tax in the American States, R. M. Haig and C. Soup, and in conclusion, Manuel de vente, by the director of personnel of the great departmental stores of Prinetemps of Paris, Mr. E. Rachinel.

At the Library of the School of Higher Commercial Studies, every subject in each review is catalogued. The 800 odd periodicals which are on hand every month at the library thus provide a very useful and abundant source of reference. Here are a few of the reviews available for reading: La vie économique et sociale, a Bel-

Strachey Discusses Dilemma Facing Capitalistic Economy

Efforts at Reform Doomed Because of Conflict With Profits Motive

LEADS TO WAR

Noted Author, Lecturer, Spoke at Windsor Hall Last Night

That the reform of capitalism in the sense of increasing the real wages of the mass of the population, was impossible today, and that the capitalistic system produced such intolerable situations as poverty amid plenty, were the main theses of John Strachey, noted author, lecturer and former member of the British Labour Party, in an address given last night in the Windsor Hotel under the auspices of the Saturday Night Club. Mr. Strachey, who took for his subject "The Capitalist's Dilemma" showed that profits and plenty were diametrically opposed and that any attempt to give the worker a larger share of the national dividend would only lead to a complete breakdown of Capitalism.

Showing the failure of the New Deal in the United States, and the unsatisfactory attempts to "reform" capitalism in various countries of the world due to the simple fact that such reform would make the working of the system unprofitable, the speaker pointed out the many dilemmas and incongruities in the capitalist economy.

Distribution Unfair

The fundamental dilemma facing the capitalist world today was that capitalists know how to produce but not to distribute, declared the speaker at the outset. To him reform of capitalism fundamentally meant one thing—namely that of giving the worker a larger share of the national dividend by increasing his purchasing power. This was the philosophy of the New Deal legislation, and what underlies Mr. Bennett's recent proposals for a reform of capitalism in Canada. If the capitalist system cannot do this then it is completely worthless.

Mr. Strachey spent considerable time in examining the results of the American attempt to reform capitalism during the past two years, and showed how though some "revival" had been accomplished, yet nothing in the way of "reform" had been done. Money wages had risen 8.5% but prices had risen 9.6%. In other words, the real purchasing power of the American masses had decreased 1.1%. This is an astonishing result, claimed the speaker, for a plan designed to reform capitalism! The rise in prices was due to the price-fixing policies of the N.R.A. and to the devaluation of the dollar. Without these, had the minimum wage rates been enforced, the whole system would have had to break down.

Reform of Capitalism Impossible

In other words, claimed Mr. Strachey, a real increase in wages (i.e., a reform of capitalism) is impossible for it would mean cutting into the rate of profit, the mainspring of our economy, and this would make industry less profitable, and thus lead to a cutting down of operation. "Revival" is of course possible, but this simply means an increase in the profit margin which can be accomplished only by lowering real wages. No wonder the capitalist antagonism to Roosevelt has vanished, claimed the speaker, when the New Deal has actually only benefited the capitalist. The classical method of bringing about recovery is either to cut wages or raise prices, but Roosevelt has invented a third way—that of raising both, but of raising prices more.

Nor did Mr. Strachey see any solution in increasing rationalization and technological improvement, for the effect of these are simply to throw men out of work, and to replace them by machinery. The same paradox exists. No matter how sincere politicians may be, and no matter how much emphasis is laid in the beginning on reform, un-

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gian monthly review. Le Mois, a synthesis of world affairs. The Iron Age, production, management, processes, news. Canadian Mining Journal, The Geographical Journal, published by the Royal Geographical Society of London; The Nickel Bulletin, Canadian Journal of Research, a publication of the National Research Council of Canada. The periodical bulletin of the Société belge d'Etudes et d'Expansion, a work of international collaboration, reference and popularization of economic and colonial knowledge. The Times-Trade and Engineering, a monthly review of industrial progress.

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The Athletic Situation

CONSIDERABLE comment was aroused two or three days ago by an editorial dealing with the issue of student coupons allowing free admission to certain games etc. Yesterday, a letter appeared in the correspondence column of this paper, from Lorne Gales, President of the Council, rather taking the writer of the editorial to task. Yesterday afternoon, Gales, the writer of the editorial, and Major Stuart Forbes met and studied the entire question in all its aspects, and certain facts became very apparent.

There are very few, if any students, at McGill today who were here in 1924 and 1925, when the present coupon system was inaugurated. A haze of misinformation on the subject has clouded the outlook of not only the students, but also many others. Consequently it is necessary here to explain the situation, how it arose, and what happened.

In 1924, the Athletic Board was facing a deficit, and extra funds had to be found somewhere—not only to carry on the sports then in existence but to aid financially other sports at college which at the time were being paid for by the participants themselves. A committee to study the matter was appointed and in its report, it was shown that a three and a half dollars extra levy on all male students, in addition to the fee of five dollars, would enable the Athletic Board to carry on very comfortably. At this time, McGill students had to pay admission to all games including football, and the attendance was extremely small; it was proposed therefore that instead of charging only three and a half dollars extra, that the fee be raised five dollars, and students be admitted to all home games. This proposal was carried out, and the system has worked fairly well in all sports except Senior Amateur Hockey.

Very obviously the coupon system when it was inaugurated did not contemplate providing admission to a large number of games staged on premises not owned by the College—such for example as the present Senior Amateur games at the Forum. The root of the whole evil lies there—the coupon system of admission was put to an end it was never intended. Today therefore we have the situation that the Athletic Board is faced with a growing deficit once more, owing to heavy carrying charges which still have to be met on the Molson Stadium, and on account of unexpected losses both in hockey and football.

Thus, the student body expects to be provided with good seats at the Senior Hockey League Games at the Forum, and the Athletic Board has not got the actual money to provide them—in fact even to provide admission at all, it is spending money it has not got. The de facto situation amounts to this: if the Athletic Board is forced to provide more expensive seats, and to guarantee the coupon holders that they will get such seats, it means one of two things, either, the money now spent on certain minor sports be diverted to securing better accommodation at the hockey games and the minor sports left to carry on as best they can, or secondly that the Student Athletic fee be raised sufficiently to cover the present deficit.

To discuss in detail the coupons in relation to hockey games, and more particularly with reference to last Wednesday's game with Ottawa, we would say that the lack of publicity is at the root of the entire trouble. The Athletic Board, under the strict terms of the agreement made with the students whereby the five dollars extra was voted, is only compelled to provide admission, and this is all they have been able to do during the last two or three years. However on certain occasions, owing to representations made to the Forum, they have given the coupon holders better seats, and so very naturally gave the student body the idea that they should, and in fact were entitled to better seats than mere admission ones. Hence the idea grew. In fact it was and is the Forum management which decrees where coupon holders shall be seated at all senior group games. Unfortunately no one definitely knew just what the students were entitled to—the Athletic Board could only afford to provide general admission no matter what the students were supposed to be given—and the student body as a whole thought it should have better seats, though in fact the Athletic Board was and is not forced to provide them under the present agreement, and furthermore

the students were not made aware of the financial stringencies of the Athletic situation. Hence the general mix-up.

In all fairness to the Athletic Board it must generally be admitted that coupon holders have received good seats at the Forum for intercollegiate hockey games. In these games it is the Athletic Board which determines where the coupon holders shall be seated and not the Forum. In the Senior Group games the Board has no say in the matter.

Undoubtedly many students were not aware that last Wednesday's game was a McGill home game, and the Athletic Board has admitted that it was somewhat to blame for not having had it better publicized. There were also some complaints received on the ground that it was not very thoughtful in allotting one of the home games at a time when mid term examinations were underway which would automatically prevent many students from attending. Again the Athletic Board admits it was at fault, that it should have known better; but that it was only trying to provide a home game with one of the

leading teams of the league, and that the mistake was a well intentioned one, To sum up the entire matter:

(1) Through lack of information and sufficient publicity, the entire issue was not clear; (2) The Athletic Board is only forced to provide admission to home games; (3) Through misleading circumstances the student body thought that it was entitled to better than mere admission accommodation; (4) Regardless of what the students are due, the Athletic Board cannot provide more than admission on account of its finances; (5) The Athletic Board admits it was in fault for not having given due publicity to the condition of affairs existing, and for having selected a home game that it was impossible for many to attend.

Finally, in future, more publicity will be given to the students regarding the dates of home games, and the condition of the finances of the Athletic Board. To clear up any further doubts, the Athletic Board will make public an official statement dealing with the entire matter immediately following their next meeting.

Graduates' Section

Editor—Miles Gordon '27

The McGill Society of Ontario

A Message from the Honorary President
Dr. Stephen Leacock

I HAVE BEEN very much interested in the formation of the McGill Society of Ontario. It is intended to be an association on a wider basis than an organization of graduates. Indeed it is meant to include not only all of those who graduated at McGill but also—as the Irish would say—all those who didn't. Some of the brightest minds in the country are found among this second group.

It is presumed that a certain connection with McGill is needed for membership, either to have attended a certain number of classes, or to have married a wife who attended classes—a short cut to education. I do not quite recall the exact latitude of the rule for admission, but I think it was about as wide as the grandfather clause of the Louisiana franchise law.

At any rate the general aim of gathering together all the men and women who have in one way or another a common allegiance and a common interest in McGill, is one in which I am in hearty sympathy. Nor do we shut people out on financial grounds: on the contrary the richer they are the better. These are the aims and objects of this Society, and these they will continue to be as long as I am its honorary president.

STEPHEN LEACOCK.

Origin and Development of the Ontario Society

THE McGill Society of Toronto was formed about the year 1920, and for about ten years was the only Society in the district which tried at various times to interest McGill Graduates in the activities of the University. However, this Society catered to the Members in Toronto only, although once a year it did try to interest the other Members of Ontario in joining with them at a dinner held following the McGill-Toronto football game. In 1932 a number of the members of the Toronto Society, along with members outside Toronto, felt that there should be a new Society formed which would include all the Members in Ontario exclusive of those belonging to the Ottawa Valley Graduates' Society. They talked about this for one year, and ultimately decided to hold a meeting at Brantford on July 27, 1934, where plans could be discussed and decisions given concerning the formation of this new Society.

On this date Mr. John Hackett, K.C., President of the Graduates' Society of McGill, addressed the meeting, at which it was finally decided to form a new Society called "The McGill Society of Ontario" which would include all the Graduates of Ontario, exclusive of the Graduates in the Ottawa Valley.

On October 6 the first Annual Meeting of the new Society was held at the Royal York, Mr. Logan Waterous, of Brantford, being named President. At this meeting ten Councillors were

appointed, these being chosen from the various parts of Ontario.

The Executive Council of the McGill Society of Ontario, after considerable discussion as to methods of organizing the Province, finally decided to try out what might be called "Regional Divisions," each Region to have a Regional Chairman and a Committee, the Chairman to appoint his own Committee. So far 13 regions have been set up under 13 chairmen.

There are about 1500 McGill Graduates and past students in the territory allotted to the McGill Society of Ontario. These names have been checked and divided into their proper regions and each chairman has been furnished with the names of all McGill students in his territory.

It is now the intention of the Executive to see that the Regional Chairmen not only appoint their committees but hold meetings, thus inaugurating the Society's drive for membership.

It is proposed that meetings shall be held in Hamilton, London and Windsor, the week of February 4th, when Members will be addressed by one of the outstanding speakers of the University. Further meetings will be held in the late spring and early summer in the other Districts.

It is hoped that these meetings in the various Districts will facilitate the work of the Regional Chairmen in interesting the Members in their Districts in taking a greater interest in the Ontario Society as well as the University.

This issue of the Daily, the fourth to be sent to Members in Montreal, is the first to be sent to all Graduates in Ontario. Further issues will be mailed to Ontario Graduates on Wednesday, February 20, and Wednesday March 20.

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In Memoriam

Jean Charlemagne, Bracq, Arts '31

DR. J. C. BRACQ, B.A., LL.D., '11, emeritus professor of romance languages at Vassar, who died at West Keene, N.H., December 18, was a native of Cambrai, France, who came to America in 1871.

After graduation from McGill he continued his studies at Newton Theological Institution, at Edinburgh and at Paris. He was a delegate to the International Peace Congress, Rouen, 1902, The Hague, 1913, and the National Peace Congress, Nimes, 1904. His paper, "French Rights in Newfoundland," read before the Academy of Moral and Political Sciences, Paris, was used as an historical basis for the settlement of the Newfoundland question. In recognition of such services, McGill conferred upon Professor Bracq in 1911 the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Laws. Frail and slight in appearance, quiet and unassuming in manner, Dr. Bracq was the finest type of scholarly gentleman, devoting a great part of his time, aside from his teaching duties, to

— DID YOU READ & ENJOY THIS DAILY? —

The Graduates' Society is anxious to obtain an indication of the feelings of the graduates regarding regular mailings of the Daily. If you have appreciated this issue and look forward to receiving future copies, please sign and return the form below as a means of expressing your approval. Otherwise, a letter embodying your criticisms and suggestions would be appreciated.

The Graduates Society of McGill University, McGill University, Montreal.

I have read and enjoyed the Daily of January 23, including the Graduates' Section. I think the idea of regular mailings of the Daily to graduates a good one which should be continued and developed as much as possible.

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national, and international service. After his retirement from teaching at Vassar, he travelled extensively in Canada, studying the development of French-Canadian life which was the subject of his best known work, "The Evolution of French Canada." He was, says L'Ordre, "one of the few men of international reputation interested in the problem of the ethnic duality of Canada."

Dr. Henry P. Stockwell, Med. '98

DR. HENRY P. STOCKWELL, M.D., C.M. '98, died at Stanstead, December 29. For a time after graduation from McGill, Dr. Stockwell had been house surgeon at the Royal Victoria Hospital. He began his practice in Derby Line in 1901 and after post-graduate work in New York went to Stanstead in 1904. He was medical officer of the 26th Dragoons for several years and a school commissioner and physician for Stanstead College. During the greater part of his more than 30 years at Stanstead, Dr. Stockwell was medical health officer for the municipality.

Two sons, Walter and William, are now students at McGill.

John Herbert Larmouth, Applied Science '94

JOHN HERBERT LARMOUTH, B.Sc. '94, President of Engineering Materials Limited, died January 4th last. Born in Montreal, Mr. Larmouth had during his engineering career been superintendent of Dominion Carbide, Ottawa; in charge of construction of the Eddy mills at Hull, the dam and powerhouse construction for the American Cereal Co. at Peterboro, the Peterboro Street Railway and the Edmonton Street Railway. During the war he was superintendent of the steel department of the Imperial Munitions Board.

The Past Year

THE annual report for the university year 1933-34, presented last week by the Chancellor, indicates:

Again a greater number of students than before have been attracted to the degree courses.

Due to special municipal taxes and lower income, deficit for last year was \$266,501 as compared with \$222,845 for the previous year.

There has been serious overcrowding in the faculty of Arts due to the influx of students who intend to proceed into other faculties later.

More than 700 candidates sought admission to the first year of the Medical school.

A faculty of Engineering survey

Newman Club Notice

All alumni members of the Newman Club are invited to attend the regular monthly meeting this coming Sunday, 27th, which will be held at Congress Hall, following Low Mass in the Lady's Chapel of St. Patrick's Church.

showed that recent graduates were finding it easier to obtain employment than during the past few years.

Work of the faculty of Graduate Studies and Research is indicated by the list of 400 publications appearing during the year.

Last year tragedy added to the problems of McGill, and speaking of the loss sustained in the death of Sir Arthur Currie, the Chancellor says, "During his principality a new McGill has come into being, and we of McGill are glad that we proved a great soldier could be a great principal, a great humanitarian and a self-sacrificing citizen."

Employment Bureau

THE prospect of terminating the operation of the Employment Bureau due to lack of financial support has hampered the work of the Bureau during the past quarter; however, by actual results, this quarter compares favourably with others.

Improvement is observed in that a larger proportion of the placements are of a permanent character, and the average salary is higher.

The Bureau is remaining open for the winter months in the expectation that financial assistance may yet be forthcoming. Otherwise the Society will be obliged to discontinue its operation.

Placements (October, November, December, 1934): Men — permanent 12, temporary 3; Women — permanent 7, and temporary 2. Total, 24.

Placements by Categories: Men — Commerce 1, Engineering 8, Science 2, Economics 1, Non-graduates 3. Women — Arts 4, Past Students 3, Commerce 1, Non-graduates 1.

Registrations during the quarterly period 45; interviews 260.

News and Notes of the Alumni

Important Medical Development
DEFINITE promise of securing immunity from infantile paralysis was indicated by Dr. Maurice Brodie, Med. '28, who described a:

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'01	'11
'02	'12
'03	'13
'04	'17
'05	'22

We would appreciate receiving any of these volumes so as to complete our records.

Redmen Out To Topple Royal Sextette In Senior Group

Playoff Chances Hinge On Victory Over League Leaders In Tilt Tonight

Team at Full Strength — Wigle, McHugh Recovered

Canadiens and Verdun Meet in Second Game

BOBBY BELL'S Redmen swing into action tonight for the third time in eight days, when they meet their hard-bitten rivals, the Ravaging Royals, who now find themselves regally perched on the top of the heap in the Senior Group race. With Fred Wigle, burly defenceman, quite recovered from his mishap of last week, and Hollie McHugh, stellar net-minder still in action, again sporting a rugby helmet as a vivid reminder that Cholettes shots don't get past him, the squad is practically at full strength, ready to chalk up its third straight win since returning from that jaunt across the border.

Need Victory McGill has the inside track in the three-cornered scramble for the fourth place playoff berth with Verdun and Lafontaine. They have 16 points to play, having to meet Vics and Royals twice, while Verdun still has a possible 14 points, and in their future assignments, must stack up against Ottawa twice.

A win for McGill tonight would come in handy, and judging from the team's recent performance, in which Ottawa was taken into camp despite the terrific battering meted out by the Byetown boys, and from the game two days later when they skated the Queen's outfit into complete subjection to score no less than four goals in the closing minutes of the game, winning 5-0, the tables should be turned on the Penniston boys.

Probably the biggest threats against a Red victory are the two ex-McGillians, Ralph St. Germain and Hughie Farquharson who have been burning up the league with their scoring zest.

Jean Paul Elie will line up with the Red squad, although his injured shoulder is still giving him a bit of trouble. With Gordie Crutchfield,

Frosh Plumbers Trounce Artsmen In Cage Contest

Give Arts III 28-13 Shellacking

After leading by a 12-0 score at the end of the first half in the interclass basketball contest, the Arts Juniors folded up completely under a fierce onslaught on the part of the Plumbers Freshies to be whalloped by a 28-13 count. The Artsmen managed to hold the edge of play during the first half, but seemed to peter out completely as the second half got under way.

For the Engineers, Reynold was top scorer, accounting for no less than 12 tails. His team-mate Orr, was runner-up, with 8 counters, while Crowley, Snelgrove, Westman and Poyner each accounted for two. For Arts, Katz and Mendelsohn scored 4, while Bill Amaron, the Sports Sniper tallied three. He scored the Artsmen's only tally of the second period by sinking a free shot, to put his team ahead 13-12, and 13 proved to be the Classicsists' nemesis. The game was noted for its general friendly nature, and the referees were almost compelled to send out a call for the Riot Squad. However, the Plumbers showed better stamina, to emerge victorious.

Eng. I (28)
Snelgrove (2)
Westman (2)
Poyner (2)
Reynolds (12)
Orr (8)
Crowley (2)
Perham

Arts III (XIII)
Katz (4)
Patrick (2)
Amaron (3)
Mendelsohn (4)
Schechter
Groober

"Bing" Crosby, Alex. Duff, Rolly Lamb and Tommy Morse out after goals from the drop of the hat, and with Wigle and Melkejohn, bouncing off any available Royal as they try to penetrate the stonewall defence, the Redmen can be counted on to give a sterling display. The game should be a hum-dinger. Canadiens and Verdun meet in the other attraction.

Foilsmen Ready For Intercollegiate Meet

FENCING practices have been continuing since the holidays at the Montreal High School gym in preparation for the intercollegiate B. W. & F. meet which begins at Queen's on February 16th.

Coach Raimondi reports, that the team is rounding into shape and will be well prepared for the forthcoming meet, where the McGill men will defend the fencing title which they won last year.

The team which will compete at Kingston has not yet been chosen, but the final selection will be made within the next few weeks. Members of the team will be chosen from Perrault, Van Riet, Moll, Budden, Kimble and Chiapman.

Sports Correspondence

The Sports Editor,
McGill Daily.

Dear Sir:

May I infringe upon your valuable space to take objection to the personal attitude taken by A. G. in passing various personal remarks re—some of his correspondents. It seems to me that both his orchids and scallions are very much misplaced, and that his otherwise excellent column (I am a constant reader of same) should not become the medium of a mutual admiration society.

I have no doubt, sir, that had Mr. A. G. racked his brains just a little longer, he might have been able to give us another paragraph in his own inimitable style, rather than the useless drivel contained in his public washing of some very dirty linen. Or is it linen? May I therefore be so bold as to suggest that A. G. stick to his knitting, i.e. sports commenting, at which he is indeed capable, but that he refrain from throwing personal

ENGINEERING SOPHS DOWN COMMERCE 1 IN CLASS HOCKEY

Engineering II showed mid-season form in downing the Commerce Freshmen in their opening game. After being down 4-0 at the end of the first period, the plumbers showed a flash of their last year's form to score four goals in the last period and three in the overtime to win the game by 7-4.

MacGibbon, the Brownsburg Beau Brummel, starred for Engineering in an offensive and defensive way, getting three goals and two assists. Bull Brissenden, the Dorval Demon, exhibited excellent form as a roving defenceman, getting one goal and four assists. Dan O'Shaughnessy, the Alex. Connell of inter-class hockey, shut out his opponents in the second half, after being injured in the first minute of the first period, being replaced in the nets by "Go-By-Me" Guadagni, who more than lived up to his name. Fee, the St. Hyacinthe streak, Roncarelli and MacLean, also showed up well for Engineering. The Plumbers were given an added incentive in the overtime which played a great part in their victory, the players being offered a Coca Cola by the manager for the first goal scored.

Their opponents were Commerce Froeh. Guadagni, of Engineering (Coincidence), refereed the second and overtime periods.

The teams:
Eng. II
O'Shaughnessy.....goal.....Duncan
Fee.....defence.....Monk (1)
MacLean.....defence.....Hushion
Roncarelli.....forwards.....Conway (2)
Brissenden.....".....Cornell (1)
MacGibbon.....".....Novinger
Bercuson.....sub.....Horsey
Guadagni.....".....Luterman
Dean.....".....Cowie
".....".....Love
".....".....Rothie

bouquets and brickbats at defenceless correspondents.

Yours in contribution,
A CONSTANT READER.

MCGILL SECONDS MONTREAL BASKETBALL LEAGUE SCHEDULE

Saturday, January 12th—University of Montreal at McGill.
Saturday, January 19th—Central Y.M.C.A. at McGill.
Thursday, January 24th—McGill at Vikings.
Wednesday, January 30th—McGill at Y.M.H.A.
Saturday, February 2nd—Southwestern Y.M.C.A. at McGill.
Tuesday, February 5th—McGill at University of Montreal.
Saturday, February 9th—Sun Life at McGill.
Wednesday, February 20th—McGill at Sun Life.
Friday, February 22nd—Y.M.H.A. at McGill.
Saturday, March 2nd—McGill at Southwestern Y.M.C.A.
Saturday, March 9th—Vikings at McGill.
Saturday, March 16th—McGill at Central Y.M.C.A.

Strachey Discusses

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seen hands will turn the reform element into one of revival instead. And any such revival which may be accomplished will be essentially unstable. Any attempt at reform is impossible. For a larger market will destroy the rate of profit, without which the system cannot work.

Imperialistic Struggle

Mr. Strachey then went on to show that the increasing unprofitability of domestic markets, capitalists turn more and more to markets across the seas, and this struggle for external outlets constituted the policy of economic imperialism which was the basic cause of all wars. This unceasing effort to find markets abroad was at the base of all international warfare. War too is a

have their team pictures taken by Feb. 1st. Arrangements are to be made with Rice's Studio. Int. and freshman football managers please note.

DENTISTRY

Dentistry hockey players are asked to be on hand for their interfaculty game today at 6 o'clock.

very profitable undertaking for capitalists for it meant new and increased demand for their goods. The idea of taking "profit out of war" is another notion which would be impossible to achieve.

As for social services, Mr. Strachey saw in them simply a clever political manoeuvre and a wise capitalist policy. For ultimately the whole burden must be laid on the workers, for if laid on the capitalists it would reduce the profitability of industry. Also all the many highly-elaborated forms of social insurance are no solution — the world still has her many millions of unemployed. Any coming attempts in Canada will likewise be doomed to failure, and will in no way increase the real purchasing power of the workers. Capitalism, claimed the speaker, is getting worse and worse and will inevitably lead us into another war. Capitalists realize the coming struggle for power, and are preparing themselves for it. Mr. Strachey laid stress on the two great evils facing the world today—war and fascism. In conclusion the speaker saw that not only was the complete overthrow of capitalism necessary for human welfare, but that it was coming anyway.

Room For Recruits As Oarsmen Start Training Tomorrow

Bunny Glassford and Harry Pangman to do Coaching

IN FIELD HOUSE

Indoor workouts for the coming rowing season start tomorrow afternoon at 5.00 in the Field House, and a call has been issued for new recruits, to practice on the indoor apparatus available. According to Louis Johnson, captain of the squad, previous experience is not essential, for instruction and coaching will be available.

In an effort to wrest the title from Varsity in the rowing classic, held every autumn on the Lachine Canal, it is hoped that a heavier crew will be available. In past years McGill has always been forced to concede a weight advantage to Varsity.

Former Stars Coach

Bunny Glassford and Harry Pangman, former members of one of the strongest crews to represent McGill will be on hand to instruct beginners. In addition, members of last year's squad, among whom are Louis Johnson, Louis Vacek, Lorne Gales, Harold Elliot, Bill Carter, and Bill Butler, are expected to be on hand for the workout. The old timers, too will assist in coaching.

The rowing classic between McGill and Varsity, began back in 1926. The McGill rowers won the first two races, but Varsity has been successful in every subsequent encounter. Persistent effort, starting tomorrow, coupled with a good turnout of new material, may prove successful in breaking Varsity's strangle-hold on rowing honors.



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SPORTS NOTICES

INTERCLASS BASKETBALL Elimination Schedule For Second Place Teams

Today — (4) Girls' Gym. 6.00 p.m. Comm. I vs. Eng. IV.

Beginning of Championship Schedule.

Friday, January 25th — (5) Boys' Gym. 5.00 p.m. Med. I vs. Med. II.
(6) Boys' Gym. 6.00 p.m. Arts II vs. Med. IV.

Final for Second Place Teams

Monday, January, 28th — (7) Girls' Gym. 5.00 p.m. Winner of 3 vs. Winner of 4.

Wednesday, January 30th — (8) Girls' Gym. 6.00 p.m. Med. I vs. Winner of 7.

Thursday, January, 31st — (9) Girls' Gym. 6.00 p.m. Med. II vs. Arts II.

Friday, February 1st — (10) Boys' Gym. 5.00 p.m. Med. I vs. Med. IV.

Monday, February 4th — (11) Girls' Gym. 5.00 p.m. Med. IV vs. Winner of 7.

(12) Girls' Gym. 6.00 p.m. Arts II vs. Med. I.

Wednesday, February 6th — (13) Girls' Gym. 6.00 p.m. Med. II vs. Med. IV.

Thursday, February 7th — (14) Girls' Gym. 6.00 p.m. Arts II vs. Winner of 7.

Monday, February 11th — (15) Girls' Gym. 5.00 p.m. Med. II vs. Winner of 7.

INTERCLASS HOCKEY SCHEDULE

Today: 4-5 Eng. 1-X vs. Theol. 1; 5-6 Com. 2 vs. Eng. 4.

Fri., Jan. 25: 4-5 Com. 2 vs. Theol. 2; Mon., Jan. 28: 4-5 Com. 3 vs. Arts 2; 5-6 Eng. 1-X vs. Arts 3.

Wed., Jan. 30: 4-5 Eng. 1-Y vs. Med. 2; 5-6 Com. 4 vs. Dent. 2; 6-7 Arts 3 vs. Eng. 2.

Friday, Feb. 1: 4-5 Arts 1 vs. Com. 2; 5-6 Eng. 1-Y vs. Law 2; 6-7 Theol. 1 vs. Eng. 2.

Mon., Feb. 4: 4-5 Theol. 1 vs. Com. 1; Wed., Feb. 6: 4-5 Com. 4 vs. Eng. 1-Y; 5-6 Theol. 2 vs. Eng. 4; 6-7 Med. 2 vs. Dent. 2.

Fri., Feb. 8: 5-6 Eng. 1-X vs. Com. 1; 6-7 Theol. 2 vs. Arch.

Mon., Feb. 11: 5-6 Com. 4 vs. Law 2; 6-7 Med. 1 vs. Eng. 3.

CLASS AND FACULTY HOCKEY

The following are the class, and faculty schedules:

Faculty
Today: 6-7 Med. vs. Dent.
Thurs., Jan. 24: 5-6 Arts vs. Com.
Fri., Jan. 25: 5-6 Arch. vs. Med.; 6-7 Eng. vs. Dent.

Sat., Jan. 26: Comm. vs. Macdonald (at Macdonald).



The above photograph was taken at the recent College Daily Editor's Association meeting held at the Mayflower Hotel in Washington last month on the occasion of a visit to the printing room of one of William Randolph Hearst's Washington newspapers.

Important Dates

TO-NIGHT — Hockey — Royals at McGill.

Jan. 24—Old Boys Mock Parliament—McGill Union.
" 25—Arts '38 Luncheon—Union Grill.
" 28—Hockey—University of Montreal vs. McGill.
" 31—Medical Dinner—Windsor Hotel.

Feb. 1—Dental Dance—Mt. Royal Hotel.
" 1—Track Club Banquet—McGill Union.
" 2—Basketball—Western at McGill.
" 4—Hockey—Verdun vs. McGill.
" 6—Hockey—Verdun at McGill.
" 7—Graduates' Smoker—McGill Union.
" 8—Newman Club "At Home"—Mt. Royal Hotel.
" 8—Mock Parliament—Toronto at McGill.
" 8—B. W. & F.—Intercollegiate at McGill.
" 9—Basketball—Queen's at McGill.
" 11—Hockey—McGill vs. Montreal West.
" 13—Hockey—McGill at Victorias.
" 14—Players' Club—Moyse Hall.
" 15—Players' Club—Moyse Hall.
" 15—Hockey—Toronto at McGill.
" 16—Players' Club—Moyse Hall.
" 18—Hockey—Lachine vs. McGill.
" 20—Formal Debate—Stanford University (California) at McGill.
" 22—Basketball—Toronto at McGill.
" 22—Class Dance—Arts '38—McGill Union.
" 23—Swimming Meet at McGill.

Mar. 5—Plumbers' Ball.
" 8—Mock Parliament—Puerto Rico at McGill.
" 8—Dominion Indoor Track Meet at Forum.
" 13—Red & White Revue—Moyse Hall.
" 14—Red & White Revue—Moyse Hall.
" 15—Red & White Revue—Moyse Hall.
" 15—Medical Dance—Mt. Royal Hotel.
" 16—Red & White Revue—Moyse Hall.
" 16—Revue Supper Dance.

NOTICES

UNCLAIMED LETTERS

Unclaimed letters in the Registrar's Office:

Clough, William P.
Harrie, Hilliard
Kicia, Fr. Chislans
Molinar, Rafael
Phillips, Paul
Telge, Harry

SIGMA ALPHA MU SCHOLARSHIPS

Two scholarships of \$100 each for the present session and two for each of the succeeding four sessions have been presented to the University by the Montreal Alumni Club of Sigma Alpha Mu Fraternity.

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ENGLISH LITERATURE SOCIETY

There will be a meeting of the English Literature Society next Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock in Room 13 of the Arts Building. Miss Ruth Dingle will speak on "Purpose in Stage Design." All interested are invited to turn out.

ROOM AND BOARD

Student would like to share apartment with another, located on Stanley St. Rooms large, bright, quiet and comfortable. Board and lodgings would amount to \$4.50 a week. Drop a note in the 'Daily' office for particulars.

R. V. C. '36

The class meeting of R.V.C. '36 called for yesterday has been changed to tomorrow at one o'clock in Room 12 of the Arts Building. There is an important matter to be discussed, and every member of the class is urged to attend.

MACCABEAN CIRCLE

There will be a meeting of the Study Group of the Maccabean Circle on Friday evening, in the Grill Room of the Union. Harry I. Cramer will deliver a paper on "Chassidism."

ATTENTION ARTS '37

All who have signed up for a class pin and have not yet paid for same are urged to pay Parker Chesney today. After today the pins will be sold to anybody.

BADMINTON

The McGill Badminton Club will play at the Union this evening and Friday evening of this week, at seven o'clock.

MUSIC CLUB

The R.V.C. Music Club will hold its monthly meeting on Thursday, January 24th at 4.15 p.m. Miss Cramp, of Miss Edgar's and Miss Cramp's School, will give a lecture on Wagnerian Operas, with illustrations at the piano by Mrs. V. R. Mustard. Following this program tea will be served.

R.V.C. GLEE CLUB

The club will hold its weekly practice this afternoon at 2 p.m. in the R.V.C. Common Room. Will those that have not already done so, give their names to Gwen Harkness, Second Year, Secretary of the Glee Club.

PLAYER'S CLUB

There will be a production meeting at 5 o'clock today for the following: Messrs. I. Macorquodale, L. Davies, C. Cam, R. Leashem and H. Weber, and the Misses E. Feltier, A. Dobson and I. Savage.

It is imperative that everyone be present on time with complete lists of their respective committee members. The position of Lighting Manager is still vacant. Any one interested in taking the job please report to M. Roth at 5 p.m. There are also many vacancies left on the business committee.

The rehearsal for "Autumn Crocus" today will be held at 5 p.m. in the M.R.T.

SCENERY

Will the entire scenery crew please turn out today at 3 p.m. without fail.



Today:
1.30 p.m.—Chapel Committee.
2.00 —Badminton.
4.00 —Christian Ethics and Modern Problems, J. King Gordon.
5.00 —Records I, M. G. Brooks.

NEW STUDY GROUP

In connection with the special Christian Ethics lectures being given

Graduates' Section National Research Council

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the American Association for the Advancement of Science meeting at Pittsburgh December 27, a new vaccine which he has developed with the laboratory division of the New York City Department of Health. Upon graduation from McGill Dr. Brodie was the winner of the Wood gold medal for medical therapeutics. He was a member of the senior track team in 1923.

New C.P.R. Comptroller

ERIC A. LESLIE, B.Sc. '16, has been appointed Comptroller of the Canadian Pacific, a position to which he has mounted through various grades of the service since first joining the Company in 1919.

Mr. Leslie took the old Transportation Course at McGill, in which he was a scholarship winner. During his college career he was Sports Editor and Editor-in-Chief (1914-15) of the Daily and a member of the Annual Board. Upon graduation he enlisted to serve overseas with the trench mortars and artillery, and upon demobilization in 1919 entered the general manager's office of the C.P.R. at Montreal.

Hockey in Europe

FRANK RONCARELLI, member of McGill's smart Junior Hockey Team of 1923-24, was back from Italy this winter speaking enthusiastically of the great strides hockey is taking in the Old World. He particularly mentioned the good work being done for the game by Dr. Gordon Dempsey, Med. '29, who captained the Red Seniors in 1924, and formed a mighty rear-guard with Rog. McMahon and Matty Dineen.

C. B.

MAJ.-GEN. A. G. L. McNAUGHTON, B. Sc. '10, Chief of the General Staff, 2nd vice-president of the McGill Graduates' Society, was appointed Commander of the Order of the Bath (military division) in the King's New Year honour list.

Canadian Ski Head

W. B. (BILL) THOMPSON, B.Sc. '28, the newly-elected President of the Canadian Amateur Ski Association. He was Captain of the McGill Ski Team for 1925-26-27, and President of the Red Birds 1928-30-31.

Bnai Brith

SAUL W. DECKER, Law '19, was recently elected to the Presidency for the year 1935 of the Montreal lodge of Bnai Brith.

Bank Director

A. B. WOOD, B.A. '22, President of the Sun Life, winner at McGill of the Gold Medal for Mathematics, has been elected a Director of the Royal Bank.

Essays

"ESSAYS OF NOON AND SHADOW," by Walter S. Johnson, B.A. '03, B.C.L. '06, has just been published. Included is an essay on the late Dean Moyse, while there is reprinted the author's address at the unveiling of the portrait bust of the late Eugene Lafleur, K.C., B.A. '77, B.C.L. '80.

Engineers

F. S. B. HEWARD, B.Sc. '12, has been elected chairman of the Montreal Branch of the Engineering Institute of Canada.

Bank of Canada

KENNETH A. HENDERSON, B. Comm. '25, has been appointed by King Gordon, a new study group will meet on Wednesdays at 4 p.m. in Strathcona Hall. The subject of the first meeting today will be "Basic Principles." Membership is open to students.

Tomorrow:
1.00 p.m.—Art of Living III, F. E. Feden.
2.15 —Records II, M. G. Brooks.
4.15 —Executive Meeting.

Sunday:
10.30 a.m.—Spring Camp Reunion Conference with Dr. Vlastos.
7.30 p.m.—Dr. Gregory Vlastos will preach at the regular Chapel Service in Divinity Hall.

8.45 —Mrs. Vlastos will speak at Open House.

chief of the securities division of the Bank of Canada. This division, it is understood, will play an important part in the operation of the Bank.

Mr. Henderson came to McGill from the Galt Collegiate Institute, and while at college was Business Manager of the Annual and, in his senior year, President of Commerce '25, which, by its own admission, was one of "the better classes."

For the past four years Mr. Henderson has been associated with the firm of Collier, Norris and Henderson, Limited, transacting business in government and corporation bonds, and has been resident partner of the firm in Toronto.

Education

PROFESSOR JOHN HUGHES arrived last week from South Africa to assume his new duties as chairman of the Department of Education. For the past three years he has been professor of education at Rhodes University, College. He succeeds Professor Clarke, who is leaving for London, where he has accepted an important administrative appointment.

Anaesthesia

DOCTORS Wesley Bourne and Bernard F. Raginsky are the joint recipients of the prize award of the British Journal of Anaesthesia, London, England, for the best research contribution in that field during 1934.

Scholarship

DR. JOACHIM BRABANDER, M.D. C.M. '32, is the winner of the Allan Scholarship for 1934.

Dentists

DR. E. T. BOURKE, Dent. '23, is President of the Montreal Dental Club for 1935.

Sports Survey

By Bill Sellar

THE annual trouble regarding student coupons is raging in and around the university at the present time. An editorial in The Daily pointed out certain abuses which apparently existed. This was answered by D. Lorne Gales, President of the Students' Council. Yesterday a conference was held between Major Forbes, President Gales, and Editor Lindsay Place. It is understood that the financial stringency of the Athletic Board in regard to hockey operations is at the root of the matter. Figuring on dropping some four thousand dollars on the season's play, largely as a result of poor crowds at the Harvard and Yale games, the Athletic Office has seen fit to reduce the number of "home games" at the Forum, thus causing the students to see just a little less hockey. Had all parties to the undertaking been fully aware of the fact that dollars and cents, or rather, the scarcity of those two commodities, was behind the policy of retrenchment, it is doubtful whether the question of criticism would have come up at all. In its statement to the president of the students' council, following the editorial mentioned above, the Athletic Board failed to mention dollars and cents, preferred instead to explain new interpretations of the agreement between the students and the Athletic Board, in regard to student coupons. It is no wonder that dissatisfaction is widespread throughout the student body. Perhaps when The McGill Daily clears up the matter, through its able editor, the dissatisfaction will abate. Meanwhile, the Athletic Office merits a certain degree of criticism for failing to clarify the situation in the light of practical realities.

The financial losses attributable to hockey are very serious, needless to say. The financing of the programme of athletics is never easy at McGill. This year will probably tax to the limit the ingenuity of those in authority. Judging by the gate receipts at the Harvard, Yale and Queen's games here in Montreal, the general public does not care what happens to intercollegiate hockey. Maybe the opposition lacked colour, maybe the same crowds which followed the Farquharson-McGill-Crutchfield-Farmer entourage last year, have little confidence in the ability of the present McGill team. Certainly, the hockey played by intercollegiate teams this year has been considerably below the admittedly high standard of competition set by the Senior Group teams. It would appear, therefore, that save

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Studies were made in the wind tunnel of a new convertible freight or nine-place passenger aeroplane design, construction of which was begun by a Canadian aircraft firm during the year.

In a contract awarded by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police for a 60-foot patrol cruiser, it was specified that a model should be tested in the Council's model testing basin. Two models having different lines were submitted. Tests were made to determine the better of the two and subsequently numerous tests were made on the model judged to be the better, with the object of improving its performance. Considerable improvement was effected, by certain modifications which were incorporated in the cruiser when constructed.

Three hundred and forty-one aircraft and allied instruments were tested by the Council during the year, 305 of them for government departments. There were 74 engine gauges, 68 directional instruments and 58 tachometers.

Two thousand, eight hundred and twenty-three thermometers, hydrometers, air cameras, photographic shutters, and screens, etc., were tested or calibrated, 17 for commercial firms.

Construction of a dynamometer for the windmill research project of the Council was partially completed during the year.

The work begun two years previously in connection with the establishment of primary temperature standards was continued. The laboratory is now equipped for standardizing platinum thermometers at the three fixed points on the temperature scale: melting ice, boiling water and boiling sulphur.

The installation of equipment for X-ray standardization was completed. During the year, 138 radium preparations, valued at \$60,350, were measured, tested and certified. Seventy-

nine per cent. were prepared from Canadian ore.
A large-scale plant for the prevention of condensation on meat and poultry products when being brought out of cold storage, was constructed under the direction of an officer of the Council on the Surrey Commercial Docks, London.
Assistance was given the Department of Agriculture, in improving the egg standards of Canada, by a study of candling.
Progress in the equipping of the photometric laboratory was such that at the end of the year it was possible to calibrate lamps for horizontal and spherical candle power. Distribution of intensity around lamps and reflectors could also be determined.
Construction of a laboratory for testing the acoustic properties of various kinds of building materials was started.
A commercial marine depth sounder was tested in the model-testing basin. Fifteen types of meters or meter attachments were tested for approval as required in the Electricity Inspection Act and six alterations in approved meters were investigated to insure that the alterations complied with the Council's specifications.
A report was made to the Minister of Trade and Commerce, on a field investigation made by officers of the Council, on watt-hour meter frequency, and undertaken in connection with an agitation for the extension of the re-seal period as now prescribed by statute.
A new method of measuring the velocity of projectiles was perfected. The projectile interrupts beams of light shining on photoelectric cells.
Following instructions from the Minister of Trade and Commerce, the Dominion standards of weight and measure (established by the Weights and Measures Act) were transferred to the Council. Facilities are now being developed for their preservation.
In co-operation with the Department of Insurance and Canadian match manufacturers, a systematic testing of matches was organized and 4 samples of matches were reported on.

In response to a demand for a special grade of dried yeast for export, the different methods of drying yeast were reviewed and recommendations as to the proper conditions of drying were made. Yeasts already on the market were tested.
The Council was requested to investigate the problem of the bonding to metal surfaces of fabrics containing rubber. This resulted in the discovery of a new adhesive for the purpose.
The work on wheat straw was concerned with the isolation of a large quantity of lignin and a thorough by extraction with a mixture of methanol and benzene.
Following an inquiry from official quarters as to the probable permanence of various government papers, extensive tests, both physical and chemical, were carried out on a wide variety of papers and a number of links were used in different government departments. In this connection helpful assistance of the "Pulp and Paper Division of the Forest Products Laboratories was received. The study has prepared the way for the drawing up of standards in a field in which, because of its complexity, they are badly needed.

In connection with the service work

for the laundry industry, 325 reports were issued covering new and damaged fabrics, soaps, alkalies, water problems, etc.

A study was undertaken of the evaluation of the wear resistance of sole leather on an abrasion testing machine constructed in the shops of the Council. Other apparatus for evaluating the quantity of leather has been installed.

It was shown, (a) that clays exist in Canada which, especially when suitably processed, are equal and indeed superior for use in oil refining, etc., to any of the imported clays now used; as a result of the work, a plant has been erected for processing a domestic clay; (b) that the waste natural gas of Turner Valley is capable of yielding carbon black equal to the imported black now exclusively used by the Canadian rubber industry; (c) that by suitable treatment a bitumen for use in rubber manufacture at least equal to the imported bitumens now used can be produced from the "tar sands" of Alberta.

A comprehensive study was made of the economic and technical feasibility of using surplus wheat for the production of alcohol to be used in a blended gasoline-alcohol motor fuel.

The first systematic study to be undertaken was made on the short-fibre grades of Canadian asbestos used as cement (for heat insulation, etc.).

Satisfactory procedures for tanning the substantial number of hides now available yearly from the buffalo herd at Wainwright, Alberta, were established.

In the field of textiles a method for measuring in quantitative terms the softness or harshness of wool was developed; a practical treatment was worked out and adopted by many laundries in Canada for cleaning the edges of the double cuffs on shirts without damaging the fabric by scrubbing, and a system has been put into operation, which, by means of "test bundles," checks the efficiency of power laundries, and has already led to many of the co-operating laundries improving their procedure to a point where reductions in the strength of cotton fabrics of as little as 5% are suffered in a succession of 20 washes.

The practical possibility of producing benzole, a motor fuel of high antiknock rating, from waste Turner Valley gas was brought nearer, if not rendered certain, by the further progress made in the laboratories. Work on maple products, which encounters the handicap that the season during which experiments can be made on the production of syrup from sap is so short, yielded significant results in regard to the factors which decide the flavor of the product, and determined more exactly than before the best conditions for preparing the super-flavored syrup previously developed in the laboratories.

The feasibility of making from raw sugar refined cane sugar syrup suited to the jam and canning trades, without the use of methods and equipment as elaborate as those necessary to make refined granulated sugar, was demonstrated.

Premature seed setting in turnips has caused appreciable losses to the growers in certain years, and very little is known as to the causal factors. At the request of the Dominion Seed Branch, Department of Agriculture, an experiment was designed to determine the influence of temperature on bolting. The plants were grown in the greenhouse, with all the growth

factors kept comparable, except temperature, which was varied for the different treatments. The results clearly show the dominant effect of temperature in determining the growth habits of the plant, as well as incidence of seed setting. For example, turnips grown for the first 60 days at 50-55 degrees F. and afterwards maintained at 65-72 degrees F. showed definite evidence of bolting, after 70 days' growth, while plants grown continuously at 65-72 degrees F. developed normal bulbous roots, without any evidence of bolting, after 130 days' growth.

An extension of the above experiment is at present in progress, in co-operation with the Forage Crop Division of the Central Experimental Farm, to determine whether a pre-seeding or vernalizing treatment would cause turnips to bolt in the year of seeding. The seed was maintained at a high moisture content in a partially germinated condition at temperatures of 1, 5, and 9 deg. C for 21, 28 and 35 days prior to sowing in the field. This method may prove to be suitable for the detection of strains with an inherent tendency to bolt.

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California Engineer Introduces Gadget

Stanford, Cal.—It's a beautiful gadget. It must have been invented by the Mad Engineer in a fit of nervous debility. Really, it's a "triumph of science" and its official title is Equal Tension Tennis Racket Restraining Machine. You've gotta have guts to operate it. And a racket. The Co-op sports department of the University of California, where the marvel is enthroned, has both guts and rackets.

The idea of the ETTRM, as it is known by its friends, is that it applies equal tension to all strings with which a racket is festooned, thus preventing warping and twisting of the frame. At last the beautiful co-ed need fear no longer. No matter how much tension is applied to her guts, her frame won't be warped in the slightest degree.

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ATTENTION is called to the fact that owing to drastic reduction in the appropriation available this year for scholarships, only a limited number of awards can be granted. Consequently, applications should be strictly confined to candidates with outstanding records, both in their undergraduate and postgraduate courses.

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